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TITLE OF INVENTION: SOLID STATE IMAGE SENSOR HAVING PLANARIZED STRUCTURE UNDER LIGHT SHIELDING METAL LAYER

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